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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing of a response within the second month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the Office Action mailed on July 28, 2003.

A credit card payment form in the amount of \$420.00 to cover the fee required for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the Deposit Account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (367.39545X00).

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